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PATENT APPLICATION

**RULE 53(f) NO DECLARATION** Hon. Commissioner of Patents Atty. Dkt. PM 270183 NOR-13175BA Washington, DC 20231 Client Re Date: December 22, 2000 Sir: 1. This is a Request for filing a new Patent Application( Design Utility) entitled: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PERFORMING FILTER OPERATIONS ON 2. (Complete) Title: DATA PACKETS USING AN INSTRUCTION without a filing fee or Oath/Declaration but for which is enclosed the following: 3. Abstract 1 page(s). Pages of Specification (only spec. and claims); 5. 

Specification in non-English language 4. 28 Numbered claim(s); and 7. Drawings: 16 sheet(s) 1 set informal: 8. M formal of size: ⊠A4 □11" DOMESTIC/INTERNATIONAL priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(e)/120/365(c) based on the following provisional, nonprovisional and/or PCT international application(s): Application No. **Filing Date** Application No. Filing Date (1) (2)(3)(4)(5)(6)10. FOREIGN priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(a)-(d)/365(b) based on filing in **Application No. Filing Date** Application No. **Filing Date** (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)See 3<sup>rd</sup> page for additional priorities (No.) Certified copy (copies): attached; previously filed (date) in U.S. Application No. filed on This is a reissue of Patent No. See top first page re prior Provisional, National, International application(s) (X box only if info is 13. there and do not complete corresponding item 14 or 15.) Amend the specification by inserting before the first line -- This is a Continuation-in-Part Divisional Continuation Substitute Application (MPEP 201.09) of: National Appln. No. filed 14(a) International Appln. No. PCT/ 14(b) filed which designated the U.S., and that International Application was published under PCT Article 21(2) in English .--15. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/ \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_.-previously filed 16. Extension to date: 

| concurrently filed not needed 17. ☐ Small Entity Status is claimed (pre-filing confirmation required) 17(a) Attached: (No.) Small Entity Statement(s). (Since 9/8/00 Small Entity Statement not essential to make claim) See NONPUBLICATION REQUEST under Rule 213(a) attached (PAT-258) 17(b)

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## REQUEST AND CERTIFICATION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)

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I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

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